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## ARTHUR'S SUPERSTITION.

A BRICK HURLED THROUGH THE CAR WINDOW.

Fixing Up the State in New York for the Nomination—Believed to be Certain of the Empire State and a Bold South—Some Sharp Maneuvering—Interesting Political Notes.

CHICAGO, August 2.—President Arthur arrived here to-night from Louisville. His journey to-day was a continued ovation. Crowds gathered at the stations where no stop was made merely to catch a glimpse of the gaily decorated train bearing the president. The president was, it seems, attacked by a miscreant, who hurled a stone through the window of the car in which he was riding, while en route to Louisville on Monday morning. He was no doubt much alarmed, as, according to the best obtainable story of the occurrence, the missile crashed through the car only a few feet from where he was standing. It is known that some kind friend has sent President Arthur a marked copy of an astrological almanac published in London by a retired army officer named Morris, under the name of Zodiak. The marked part is the prediction that the president of the United States will be in danger the latter part of the month of July, and should take precautions accordingly. The first occurrence to bring this to his mind seemed to him to remain upon the took place, however, on his arrival in Washington from New York Saturday night. A thunder storm was raging, rain falling in torrents, and the dense darkness only relieved by the lightning flashes. The Baltimore and Potomac depot as the train steamed in was bright with the electric lights and familiar faces greeted the gaze of the chief magistrate as he looked out from the car window, but before he could reach the door all was dark outside. There was a rushing to and fro and whispering on the platform, finally developing into confused shouting from different directions for lights. In the meantime the presidential party retreated into their car again. Presently torches were procured and the party, surrounded with railroad officials and headed by Officer Pat Kearney, marched by torchlight through the building, passing within the fatal ladies waiting room, en route to the carriages. It was noticed that the men appeared unshaved and pale, but the latter was probably owing to the weird light of the flambeaux after the cool, steady, white blaze of the electric lights. The cause of the sudden extinguishing of the lights was due to the flash of lightning which struck the United States electric light company's central station. But few persons knew of the simultaneousness of the two events, but those who were present at once recalled the part of the John Wilkes Booth plot, which was not carried out, the cutting off of the wire.

HE LOOKS FOR NOMINATION.

The following gossip from a gentleman who has just returned from Albany, is interesting: It is taken by the republicans at the state capital as a settled fact that President Arthur is looking for the renomination by the national republican convention of next year. They have generally come to this conclusion because of the statements made by him, or by any public utterances or direct statement from the president himself. The republicans have noticed that every time that the president arrives in New York the old stalwart leaders manage to turn up in the city, and developments follow that look like promises for the nomination next year. On each occasion a special hint is passed along the line with regard to whether such a renomination would be forthcoming. The conviction that the cards are being worked by the president and his friends for his nomination next year. In the early part of the summer the story went around, and was published far and wide, that President Arthur had in thoughts of being his own successor, or looking for the nomination in 1884. Soon after that he made a visit to New York city, remaining a considerable portion of the time at the residence of his personal friend, Mr. E. G. Godwin, who resides in the city. To Washington the stalwart politicians commenced to tell their friends confidentially that they began to think that the cards were playing for the nomination of President Arthur next year, and that the power of the administration would now be used in that direction.

The next stage of the development was the statement of the stalwarts that two weeks ago they had no idea that President Arthur was to be nominated, but that they were quite sure he had any idea of it, but they were not satisfied that he was, and making such strides with the solid delegation that would be secured by the office-holders from the south that his nomination could not be prevented. These different stages of the affair developed in regular succession after President Arthur's former trip to New York. The first came along so soon after his appearance there as to give the impression that its starting was the principal part of the president's mission to New York at that time. The second stage followed as if arranged by some skillful hand, and timed so as to produce the proper effect. Before the president arrived in New York last week it had become the accepted fact that he was looking for the nomination, and the fact that he was working his cards met with so little objection that his visit last week was expected to bring forward additional developments. Those who entertained these expectations as most disappointed President Arthur was apparently very quiet while in New York. The politicians generally do not appear to talk about and advocate that plan corresponded with that necessary to get the word from New York after the president arrived there, indicating that the move was started by the president himself.

It is possible that no such idea has entered the president's head, and that the move was not started by him. There is no direct evidence obtainable that he did start it. Circumstances indicate that he did, but did not give the cue for the beginning of it. It may not be the correct belief, but somehow the politicians on the republican side in the state capital believe that President Arthur's visit to New York a few weeks since was for the special purpose of starting the ball for his nomination; that his visit during the last week was to indicate how the four delegates at large from this state might be properly selected at the meeting of the state convention this year. The well known Arthur men named themselves delegates. The following day the commencement of the talk of President Arthur being a candidate and about the plan of selecting the four delegates-at-large this year with his appearance the last two times in New York leads irresistibly to the conclusion that they embrace, in part at least, the purposes of his mission. If he did not start the move for the election of the four delegates-at-large this year who did it while the president was in New York. The point which some of the politicians are trying to settle for themselves is the trip

of President Arthur to New York last week for the purpose of starting the programme for the election of four delegates-at-large at the convention this fall? Circumstances lead to the conclusion that Chairman Smythe might, if he could, have been induced to do it.

The republican state committee will meet in New York next week when further developments may be expected.

## CONFEDERATE BONDS.

The Scheme to Enforce Their Payment Regarding as Visionary and Illusory.

NEW YORK, August 2.—The English scheme to compel the southern states to redeem the confederate debt is a subject of some concern here. In an interview Governor Butler declared the scheme to be both visionary, ridiculous, chimerical, and the hindrance to the control of the money of the world so as to boycott the southern states by refusing to lend them any money until the bonds are paid, he said: In my judgment nothing could be better for a state than to be prevented from borrowing money. The inhibition placed upon the state of Mississippi, because it repudiated the bonds issued by the Planters' bank many years ago, was the most fortunate thing it ever happened to us. We have been compelled to pay our debts, and should take precautions accordingly.

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## THE LEGISLATURE.

BUSINESS RECORD OF BOTH HOUSES  
OF THE ASSEMBLY.

The Proceedings in the Senate—The Doings in the House—The Introduction of New Matter, and the Passage of Bills on the 1<sup>st</sup> Reading—The Reports of Committees—Points.

The senate met at 9 o'clock, President Boynton in the chair. Prayer by the Rev. Dr. A. J. Battle, of Merion University. Roll called and journal read and adopted.

Senator DuBignon gave notice that he would move to reconsider the action of the senate of yesterday in passing a bill to amend section 4587 of the code, relating to persons fraudulently obtaining credit.

Mr. Smith gave notice that he would move for a reconsideration of yesterday's action of the senate in refusing to pass a resolution for the appointment of a committee of three from the senate and five from the house, to whom should be referred all bills relating to the building of a new capitol.

Mr. DuBignon asked the senate to grant the reconsideration asked for. Mr. McAfee also asked that it be voted that he desired to have the subject while under discussion, and had been prevented from so doing by the call of the previous question. Several other senators were in the same category and could not speak on the subject, and had desisted to have been heard.

Senator DuBignon's motion to reconsider was carried.

Mr. Smith's motion to reconsider prevailed.

Mr. DuBignon, chairman of the judiciary, submitted his motion to adjourn.

A favorable consideration of a bill amending section 1712 of the code.

Also a bill amending an act carrying into effect the last clause of paragraph one, section one, article seven the constitution of 1877.

Also, a house bill amending section 4527 of the code of 1882.

Mr. Davis made a report of the special committee to consider the obstructions in the Savannah river caused by the canal dam at Augusta, recommending that the same be removed.

Mr. Humber of Putnam, and Mr. Irwin of Cobb, said no such inference could be legitimately drawn from the bill.

Mr. Wood, of Walker, opposed the amendment, and said it would render the bill ineffectual.

Mr. James spoke in favor of his amendment. He thought the bill ought not to try to restrict personal liberty too far.

The amendment of Mr. James was agreed to after being changed so as to allow giving away of liquor in one's home, but not in a store to secure trade or in public places generally.

The other sections of the bill were adopted without material amendment.

Mr. Crenshaw of Troup, moved to recommit the bill to the temperance committee.

Mr. Middlebrook, of Newton, moved to recommit the bill to the judiciary committee.

Mr. Jenkins, of Putnam, moved to recommit the bill to the judiciary committee.

Mr. James of Cobb, and Mr. Redding, of Pike, opposed the recommitment.

Mr. Sweet moved to postpone the consideration of the bill until Friday morning.

Mr. McGregor, of Warren, moved to lay the bill on the table and to print for the use of the house.

The motion to print was agreed to, but the house refused to table the bill.

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INDICATIONS for the South Atlantic states, partly cloudy weather and local rains, winds shifting to northwesterly, falling barometer, stationary or lower temperature.

The election for supreme court judge now pending before the legislature demonstrates the fact that it is as hard for the legislature to make up its mind as it is for a governor, who to select his judge.

ANYTHING that Dr. Haygood says will be read with interest. He is a ripe thinker, a representative of a powerful element in the south, and always speaks from matured thought. His speech at Montagle, printed elsewhere, will be sure to command attention.

In the election of an associate justice of the supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Crawford seems to be no easy matter, the legislature has had seven ballots, with no election, and it will try again at ten o'clock to-day, with Messrs. Blodner, Basinger and Dabney in the field.

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that Judge E. H. Pottle, of Warren, had publicly declined to be a candidate for judge of the supreme court, he received several votes from friends in the legislature who were satisfied he was the best qualified to fill the vacant seat of Judge Crawford. Had he been in the race he would have been a strong candidate, and if elected a good judge.

PROFESSOR R. I. GREENE, the well-known colored man, believes there is ample chance for the democratic party, national and state, by changing its policy, or, as some say, by going back to the early principles of the party to make inroads into the hitherto close column of the black contingent of the republican party. The professor thinks the colored voter is very restive and inclined to kick. He instances the threats in the call for Mr. Douglass's convention, the mutterings of the late negro press convention at St. Louis, the recent meeting and resolutions of the colored republicans of South Carolina. When asked if he would attend the colored convention at Louisville he said he would be there as a looker-on, if one was held, but the representative colored men of the country were not in favor of the convention; indeed, were quite sick of conventions.

## HUMAN LIFE AND THE LAW.

There is no power or authority that ought to be more delicately and discreetly exercised than the power placed in the hands of those whose duty it is to maintain the law and order necessary to the welfare and protection of society. There is nothing more dangerous or more lamentable in its results than the disposition, born of the false idea of the purpose and intention of the law, to exercise authority unnecessarily. What is unnecessary is injurious; and injudiciousness on the part of an officer of the law frequently takes the shape of a crime.

An officer of the law should have little discretion left him as to the employment of firearms. The orders issued by those over him should be made to cover every contingency. He should be left the narrowest possible margin. He should be made to know and feel that the shooting of a human being, even by an officer of the law, is a matter of grave import, and that it is rarely justifiable in a civilized community.

These remarks are suggested by the recent shooting by an Atlanta policeman, but they are not intended as a comment or a criticism upon that affair. There is a wide diversity of opinion as to whether the Atlanta officer was justified. Some contend that he was; others declare that he was not. In the meantime, we shall not undertake to pass judgment upon the occurrence.

But the officers of the law—the promoters of the public peace—ought to be made to understand that they should employ firearms only as a last resort. Human life is not to be endangered upon any trivial excuse or pretense. If it is a question between the taking or endangering human life, and the escape of small offenders, let the small offenders escape. There are occasions that no rules will fit, and that no regulations can provide against, but, as far as possible, those who have charge of the policemen and other officers of the law, should make them understand that human life is neither to be taken nor endangered unless in the presence of an emergency too serious to be otherwise dealt with.

## OHIO POLITICS.

Ohio politics grow more and more of a nuisance every year. The whole gang of politicians who debase Ohio as their nidus are thoroughly discredited. They care for nothing but office, and bribery, and corruption.

A politician who is this year stamping and talking and lying for the republicans will next year be stamping, and talking and lying for the democrats. Perfidy is regarded by the republicans as a species of humor, and dishonesty is necessary to their digestion, and the democrats, it is to be feared, are not much better. There is a special atmosphere of political demoralization in Ohio that is to be found in no other state. It has affected both parties, and it seems unlikely that there will ever be any reform until the honest farmers of the state take hold of matters.

Just now matters in Ohio are in a curious state of confusion. The Cincinnati Enquirer, which, by a friendly stretch of the imagination, is supposed to be democratic, has employed as a correspondent during the campaign, a notorious republican named Wood-

ard, who is well known in Atlanta. The services of Woodard are valuable to the Enquirer not on account of any special ability, but on account of reckless methods of statements and because he is a republican. Woodard is evidently making a good thing out of it, for his conduct would seem to imply that he is in the pay of the republican campaign committee as well as the Enquirer. It seems that Woodard had a friendly and private conversation with Hoody, the democratic candidate. The details of this conversation, or this alleged conversation, Woodard immediately carried to Charles Foster, the republican governor, and Foster immediately proceeded to give them to the public in the shape of an interview.

Woodard says that the statements made by Woodard are false. This means, of course, that Woodard is a liar. Woodard denies that he is a liar, but admits that he is perfidious earwig of a new and rank stripe. We use the word perfidious in order to explain to our readers the nature of the transaction in its most favorable light. The Springfield Republican employs the word for a precisely similar purpose. In Ohio, perfidiousness is regarded as a good joke. Woodard, the republican, seems to gloat over his performance, and he is applauded by Deacon Smith, and petted by the Enquirer, Editor McLean evidently regarding the whole business as a remarkable "journalistic" feat.

If our readers will reflect over these things, they will be enabled to get a very fair idea of the situation in Ohio.

## THE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

The term of Major Campbell Wallace, one

of the railroad commissioners, will expire soon, and his successor will have to be appointed by Governor McDowell and confirmed by the senate.

Major Wallace has made an efficient commissioner, and he has faithfully discharged his duty to the railroads and to the people, and we think that Governor McDowell cannot do better than to appoint Major Wallace as his own successor. While Major Wallace is not seeking the office, and we know he never sought it when first tendered him, we believe he will accept an appointment, and we believe further that it will continue the great popularity of the commission he has to deal with as a commissioner, and he has the courage to deal with them honestly. If he thinks the railroads are imposed on him say so, and if he thinks unjust discriminations are made by the railroads against the people he will say so.

Much of the success of our commission is due to its earnest faithful work, and we hope he will continue to discharge the duties of the office.

## THE REVISED REPUBLICAN PLAN.

The coming on of the Louisville exposition, which has excited the indignant jealousy of Cincinnati, has not prevented Editor Watterson from coming to the front with the usual fortnightly bugaboo, warranted to frighten all the political old maids in the country.

In other words Editor Watterson has discovered what he calls a cat in the meal-sack. The information comes from New York, not from the Graystone mansion, probably, but from New York generally, including Tompkins's square and the St. James hotel.

Briefly stated, the information is to the effect that the dissolute republicans have banded and conspired together to nominate a ticket composed of Arthur and Foster, of Ohio; that Blaine is a party to the agreement; and that the agreement itself is the invention of Mr. Whitelaw Reid, of the New York Tribune, and intended to heal the breach between the factions and to bring the stalwarts and half-breeds together on a platform of plunder, division and silence.

Honest John Sherman is to keep his seat in the Senate, Dorsey is to be defied, Grant is to be reinstated and retired, and the New York Tribune, and Deacon Richard Smith's Cincinnati Commercial Gazette are to champion the movement and Mr. Blaine is to lead his millions of acquaintances to the onset, wearing the white plume which Babbleton Ingalls discovered in his back hair.

We have no doubt that Editor Watterson's sources of information are the best, and we have no reason to suppose that the programme which he so carefully outlines has really been adopted. Still there is something lacking—Plausible as it is, the one ingredient is missing, that is the missing ingredient? Nothing less than the Hon. Wharton Barker, of the grand commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We assure Editor Watterson (as well as the whole country) that no republican scheme that fails to include the Hon. Wharton Barker and his friends and patented plan for robbing the tax payers of the country can by any possibility be a success. Next to the illustrious Dorsey, the esteemed Barker may be said to have in his distinguished hands the golden future of this great republic, and it is to Barker and Eli Perkins and Private Dalzell and Sergeant Bates that the country must look for the solution of the more intricate and recondite problems of government. We ought to be duly grateful that these distinguished citizens have survived the accidents of peace and the casualties of war.

DORSEY, the republican leader, says that Arthur is Cookling's Simeon Panza. We regret to be unable to announce that Dorsey would have made an excellent paragrapher. Should he ever drop into that business we will find that his field is on the leading democratic papers of Ohio.

AN Ohio contemporary announces that it "had been agreed that Arthur would be a doomed man." Hence the difficulty on the City of Melrose. It will be generally known after awhile that there is something else in Ohio besides beer, politics and perfidious newspaper correspondents.

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THERE is a whirlpool ahead of the republican party in 1884—that is to say—if the democratic party is not annihilated in the meantime by the democratic editors of Ohio.

BULLARD SMITH, of Kentucky, is city editor of the New York Herald. The south and west now have charge of all the important newspapers of the country.

"THERE is a great deal in Kentucky," says Deacon Richard Smith, "that the president will admire. Does the deacon affide to free lunches or red liquor?"

IT is generally conceded that the next festival at Cincinnati will consist of a paste-board lion and the republican correspondent of a democratic newspaper.

THE Philadelphia Press has an article on "The Real Issue." The real issue is, will the people endorse the species of corruption known as republicanism?

LITTLE BILLY CHANDLER's popularity is greater than his ability, but he wasn't popular enough to become United States senator from New Hampshire.

DOUSEN need never suffer while the lecture field is open. Let him take the stump in his own behalf.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

REPUBLICANS are not always ungrateful. The United States has paid its soldiers \$7,000,000 in pensions.

THE Kentucky state election occurs next Monday, and Proctor Knott will without doubt be elected governor.

A. B. CORNELL announces that he will be a candidate for senator if a nomination comes to him without a faction fight.

CONDON N. JORDAN, talked of for New York city controller, has been for years the confidant and agent of the Tilden-Barnum combination.

IOWA campaign raint already begins to overflow from the stump. The Des Moines Register says that voters should remember "unborn generations" and defeat the saloons.

SECTION 7039 of the statutes of Ohio makes an attempt to bribe an elector punishable by fine and imprisonment. Section 7041 provides the same punishment for any delegate to a nominating convention who asks or receives money or other valuable for his vote.

THE split in the conservative party of England was emphasized by the retirement of Mr. Northcote, eldest son of Sir Stafford, and two other members from the council of twelve of the national conservative association, the son of Lord Churchill, which was accomplished by the casting vote of the chairman, Earl Percy.

JOHN S. BARRY was governor of the state of Michigan when there was about acre of ground around the capitol building upon which the grass had been allowed to go to seed every year.

Governor Barry took great pains to have the grass cut at the proper time, and when properly cured it was a fine, even and durable carpet.

There was only half a dollar in the state treasury when Barry took the chair, and it was a bogus coin.

## PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

THERE is no portrait of Charlotte Bronte.

MRS. BRIDGET BURKE, of Fall River, Mass., is dead at the age of 105.

Two one-armed men applauded in a Stockton theatre by clapping their remaining hands together.

THE will of the late Daniel Hersey gives \$50,000 to the city of Nashua for a public library, certain conditions.

LAWRENCE BARRET's daughter was married at Stuttgart on Friday, to Baron von Roder, an officer of the German army.

YOUNG ROBERT VANDERBILT, the fourth son of the rich man, is said to have the honest ambition to become a newspaper reporter.

JAS. COOKE intends fitting up his summer home at Gibralter, near Put-in-Bay, Lake Erie, on a scale of magnificence unsurpassed in the west.

TENNYSON drinks ale or wine with his pipe; Swinburne writes while stimulated by champagne cocktails; Burns and Moore both loved "potheen," and Byron was fond of brandy neat.

BARNES, the Kentucky evangelist, writes back to Miss Marie, his daughter and assistant:

"She lost her heart in Tennessee, and the attachment, which I am happy to say has my heartiest approval, abides in increasing strength."

ARCHBISHOP ELDER, of Cincinnati, in a recent letter, urges his clergyman to a more active crusade against the "awful soul-destroying vice of intemperance." He proposes to hold a conference or convention soon to determine the best method of action. The archbishop himself is a total abstainer. Even during the yellow fever plague at Natchez, where he was stationed at the time, he "kept the pledge."

DENIS MAURICE O'CONNOR, member of Parliament for Sligo county, whose death is announced was a younger brother of the O'Connor Don, and a cousin of Charles O'Connor, our lawyer. He had sat for Sligo since 1868, and had been a member of the House of Commons through the Roman Catholic bishops of the diocese. Dr. Givney, is not a Parochial. It is almost certain that a thorough-going member of that party will be elected. Sligo adjourned.

SOUTHERN INTELLIGENCE.

HOT SPRINGS, Arkansas, has a population of 7,193.

CROP reports from the eastern part of Texas are encouraging.

THE merschaum deposit in Saline county, Arkansas, is yielding dry grit.

THE corn crop of western Arkansas is splendid, and cotton is very fine.

GRAT numbers of mad dogs have been killed in Giles county, Tennessee.

THE North Carolina Pharmaceutical association will be held in Wilmington, August 28.

PIKEVILLE, Tenn., has 400 inhabitants and two colleges, one of which alone has 200 pupils.

THERE are more than one hundred manufacturing establishments in Knoxville, Tennessee.

THE authorized New Orleans dog killers counted up 900 corpses laid out to the end of last week.

THE supreme court of Kentucky has decided that a wife may recover money lost by her husband gambling.

THE commercial drummers of Texas are to hold a convention at Palestine, August 1st to form an organization.

THE famous live oak tree, known as the "Devil's Riding Whip," which is situated three-quarters of a mile northwest of the "Devil's Mill Hoppy," near Gainesville, Fla., measures 32 feet and 4½ inches in circumference, one foot from the ground.

THE tree is hollow and affords ample shelter for 40 rods.

A rich ledge of gold is being developed in Highland township, Greenlee county, near Middle Tyger river, on the place of William Underwood, which is just inside the line between Spartanburg and Greenville. It is said to be rich and almost inexhaustible.

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CROSS-TIE GOSSIP IN AND OUT OF ATLANTA RAILROAD CIRCLES.

Important Changes in Official Positions on Georgia Railroads—Death of the Central's Purchaser of the Brunswick and Western—Southern Railway Developments—Notes.

A SPECIAL rate of \$13.25 to Louisville and return is offered by the Jellico route. The East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia have recently opened this new route to Louisville and Cincinnati and it is already very popular.

### Railroad Mortgage Foreclosed.

GAINESVILLE, August 2.—Captain John C. Sage, late a contractor on the Gainesville and Dalton era railroad, has foreclosed a mortgage on the road for \$2,462.86. Service has been perfected upon the secretary of the company, Mr. H. H. Ferry, and this action will doubtless result in determining something about that enterprise, which has lain so long in a dormant state.

### Railroad Sale Denied.

The report to the effect that the Central had purchased the Brunswick and Western, we are authorized to deny in toto. The general manager and the superintendent say that the report is founded on the rumors circulating in this city last week to the same effect. They think if there were any grounds for the report, they would be notified of it, or at least be apprised from making extensive improvements and heavy expenditures. Mr. Meader received a telegram last night from Atlanta, denying the report before he read it in the *Concord*. Messrs. Morse and Meader are very positive in their denial.

### Important Changes.

Two important changes in prominent Georgia railroad positions are announced. Major W. F. Shellman, formerly superintendent of the Southwestern railroad, has been made traffic manager of the Central railroad, including all its leased lines. Major Shellman's qualifications for this important position will be readily recognized by all who know him. He has managed the affairs of the Southern several years with marked success and will do fine service in his new and larger field.

To succeed Major Shellman as superintendent of the Southwestern, General Calvert Morris has chosen Major T. D. Kline, the present superintendent of the Atlanta division of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad. It is with regret that the members of the board of directors of the Atlanta and Macon Kline leaves his present position. He has filled it only a few months but has fully demonstrated his capacity as a first-rate manager. He has seen the value of the work usually useful in getting the division under his charge into the excellent condition it now presents. His new position will give him a fine field.

His appointment goes into effect on the 1st of September. Major Shellman has already assumed the duties of traffic manager of the Central. It is not yet known who will succeed Major Kline in Atlanta.

### Control of Richmond and Danville.

From the New York Tribune.

A published dispatch from Saratoga announced on Sunday that the control of the Richmond and Danville railroad, which has recently changed hands, had been secured in the interest of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad. The statement was made, it was said, on the authority of Calvin S. Brice, director of the East Tennessee and a member of the syndicate which, according to the statement, has bought the Richmond and Danville road. George S. Scott, who holds major interest in the Richmond and Danville stock, said yesterday that Mr. Brice's statement was correct, but he expressed surprise that it had been made. It had been agreed by the members of the syndicate that the new management should be kept secret until the present directors had resigned their offices. Mr. Scott said that the two roads would not be consolidated, but some relations for the time being would be established.

George L. Schuyler, president of the Metropolitan National bank, who is reported to be a member of the syndicate, was asked by a Tribune reporter yesterday whether he had anything to say about the matter. "Not one word," he replied; "I have nothing to say."

"It is true that you are interested in the railroad," he said.

### How Bill Mitchell Made Time.

From the Griffin News.

"Talk about your fast mails," said a gentleman to a news representative yesterday, "but doggone me if Bill Mitchell didn't shake 'em up lively last night."

"Why did he run so fast?" put in the news man.

"Well, you see, after the collision of the two through freight cars happened on the tracks of the Seaboard, Virginia and Georgia road, we did not leave the shed until 8:30 o'clock, and when Bill Ennis shouted 'all aboard'! a general rush was made for the 'goatier.' We all hadn't more than got fairly seated before the bell rang at a mile a rate. I got in, sat down, and remarked to Mr. Niles, 'There was on board, that he was running too fast to suit me. Oh,shaw! this isn't anything. Wait until you start out from East Point to Hapeville, then he'll be good.'

The distance from East Point to Hapeville is four miles, and, sir, it's a fact that you'll hardly believe when I tell you the run was made in three minutes. The train was stopped at various stations. Now, what do you think of that running?"

"That seems pretty good; but how about the time after you left Hapeville?"

"Well, you fail to recollect it, but he 'em' in lively and met the train that passes here at 2:32 at Smyrna, notwithstanding it was half after eight when we pulled out from Atlanta."

"But tell me about the collision?" put in the reporter.

"Look at THE CONSTITUTION; my iron is hot, and I can't talk any more now. Didn't you see that any way?—as I was walking bang-bang went his hand on the red iron."

### Southern Railway Development.

From the New York World.

The remarkable growth of railroad interests in the south and southwest long since attracted the attention of business men and capitalists. Atlanta is rapidly becoming one of the leading railroad centers of the country. Major Herring is developing Florida with its system of roads. The Louisville and Nashville and the southern division of the Illinois Central are reaching out for New Orleans and points in that country. The East Tennessee and Georgia is not far behind. The same is true of the Chattahoochee. New Orleans is now confidently looking forward to an era of prosperity, her wharves, docks and elevators being in high state of efficiency. In a short time she will be a leading port of entry. A railroad from Atlanta to the coast, intended for San Francisco, passed over the Southern in one day, and this fact is adduced as an indication of what may be expected in the future. The Atlantic and Gulf Coast line, which will shortly be sent to the New Orleans and southeastern railroad, and their lines will be supplied with new heavy engines, with five feet ten inches wheel base, will be working from Atlanta to Chattanooga in nine hours, a saving of three hours over the present time-card. The New Orleans and Northern road has at last made the final connection with the road to San Francisco, passed over the Southern in one day, and this fact is adduced as an indication of what may be expected in the future. The Atlantic and Gulf Coast line, which will shortly be sent to the New Orleans and southeastern railroad, and their lines will be supplied with new heavy engines, with five feet ten inches wheel base, will be working from Atlanta to Chattanooga in nine hours, a saving of three hours over the present time-card.

### Truck and Truckers.

State of the Markets.

Saturday, August 2.—No change in market Kips 15 cars, all poor stock.

JELLS, BROWN & CO.

### Shipments and Movements of Trucks.

Wednesday's shipments of mules via Western and Atlantic railroad were 40 carloads, of which Central brought in 21 cars, 11 Georgia road cars, 1 East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia 7 cars, and 1 local of Atlanta.

Distribution was as follows, viz: 21 to Cincinnati, 5 to Chattanooga, 5 to Atlanta, 5 to Louisville, 1 each Evansville, Indianapolis, Memphis, Rome,

The Arrest of Ford.

KANSAS CITY, August 2.—Floyd, the slayer of James, was arrested and taken to police quarters to-day, under an old indictment for Blue Cut train robbery. Ford does not know what has caused his arrest at this time. He said to have been dumbfounded at his arrest and is evidently badly frightened.

## NEGRO EDUCATION.

Continued from First Page.

MONEY and service in the endeavor to teach the negroes the most to say that the negro's moral education is morals, as a reason for not educating him in books, are precisely the people who are not doing any thing of consequence to educate him in any way. And when there seems to be a degree of shame and can't be in their talk.

The objection to the negro's education is that colored men's opinions have their origin in four roots, one of which is the desire to be born white, another who are, at bottom, opposed to all education, 2 in stinginess; multiplied thousands deny their own children education because it costs money. Money is the root of all evil. The negro is the man of the country whose, by some mischance, the fathers of families and the owners of good properties, but they are too mean and too near barbarism to educate their children. There is a desire to be born white, a desire to be born black, a desire to be born a negro because he is a negro. Avarice is a mean spirit, but this sort of prejudice is moment. It is common among colored people to be born black.

If any think that my language is too strong let them test their prejudice. Take a look at Jesus Christ and ask him if he approved of the negro. I know what people would cease if it cost them nothing. Of this class of objects I have yet to meet one who opposes the schools somebody else's children to the best of his knowledge. This is the result of the negro's education.

And what will be the result in the life of these children, if God should see that by taking no part in the Christian education of the millions of negroes in this country, that he has not been true to his trust upon their course? A far more important question is this: What will be the verdict of the head of the church, the Lord God Almighty, the Father of us all?

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CONSTITUTION OFFICE,  
ATLANTA, August 2, 1883.

STATE AND CITY BONDS.							
BALTIMORE.....	105	106	Atlanta 7a.....	110	112		
GA. 7a.....	106	106	Atlanta 6a.....	101	106		
GA. 7a.....	113	115	Atlanta 6s.....	108	110		
GA. 10s.....	108	108	Atlanta 6s.....	103	103		
G. (Brown's) 102	104	104	Marion 6s.....	100	102		
Jackson 8a.....	80	82	Rome, new.....	102	103		
Atlanta 8a.....	116	118	Columbus 6s.....	82	82		
RANDO ROAD							
Ga. 7a.....	104	104	A. & C. Char.				
GA. 6s.....	106	108	Inc. 6s.....	60	63		
Cent. R. 7a.....	111	112	Atlanta 6s.....	106	108		
O. C. & A. 1a 106	108	108	Atlanta 6s.....	108	110		
A. & C. Char. 102	104	104	T. V. & G.				
RAILROAD							
Rev. 15.....	97	97					
At. & C. Char. 62	64	64	Aug. & S. V. 115	117			
Southwestern 114	116	116	At. & W. P. 98	160			
South. Car. 30	30	30	C. C. & A. 28	30			

**By Telegram.**  
NEW YORK, August 2.—This was another day in stock circles and the fluctuations were narrow. At the opening there was some pressure to sell Missouri Pacific, Canada Pacific, New York Central and Wabash preferred, under which there was a decline of 1/4 to 1 1/4 per cent. This was followed by a recovery of 1/4 to 1 1/4 per cent, but in the afternoon the market was weak and lower again. Compared with last night's closing, prices are 1/4 to 1 1/4 per cent lower, except for Delaware and Hudson, Long Island, Michigan Central and Northern Pacific preferred, which were fractionally higher. In specialties, New York and New England dropped 4 to 23, rallied to 21 bid; Peoria fell off 1/2 to 15, recovered to 15 1/2; Lake Erie and Western sold down 2 to 24, closed 23 1/2; Manhattan Beach declined to 23 1/2; Northern Pacific preferred lent at 64. Transactions 10,000 shares.

**Steeling—Exchange** 4.83, Money 13 1/2, Sub-treasury balances: Gold 116,930,000; currency 7,147,000; Government bonds 4,459,123; & 119,381,000 State bonds.

**State Class A to z.....** 45  
**Class A small.....** 33  
**Metropolitan Ele. ....** 89  
**Gas & Light Co. ....** 131  
**Michigan Central.....** 134  
**Georgia & W. & N. ....** 54  
**Georgia's mortg. ....** 103  
**Georgia do.....** 133  
**New Jersey Central .....** 65  
**Louisiana consols.....** 65  
**North Carolina Central .....** 115  
**North Carolina now 16 .....** 95  
**do, funding.....** 10  
**do, specia. tax.....** 8  
**S. C. & broad. ....** 102  
**Tennessee now 14 .....** 140  
**Ohio & Miss. ....** 31  
**Virginia do.....** 135  
**Virginia & O. & C. ....** 137  
**Virginia deferred.....** 94  
**Adams Express.....** 139  
**American Mkt. Ex. ....** 88  
**Chicago & St. Louis .....** 135  
**Chicago & Alton .....** 135  
**Chicago & N. W. ....** 127  
**do, preferred.....** 134  
**do, preferred.....** 122  
**Consolidated Coal .....** 24  
**Del., Lack & West....** 125  
**do, first preferred.....** 93  
**Den. & Rio Grande .....** 363  
**Ex. & S. V. ....** 108  
**East Texas railroad .....** 130  
**Fort Wayne .....** 131  
**Harrisburg & St. Joe .....** 140  
**Hartford & L. & P. ....** 65  
**Houston & Texas .....** 132  
**Illinois Central.....** 132  
**Lake Shore.....** 107  
**Illinoian Union.....** 798  
**L. & N. do.....** 49  
**lhd. & Ex. interest.....** 132  
**Offered.....** 132  
**Asked.....**

**THE COTTON MARKET**

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,  
Atlanta, August 2, 1883.

New York.—The cotton market presents no new features this week. The inclination of quotations was upwards, and the close-to-day reveals a respectable gain for the months with tone firm. Spots steady; middling 10 1/4-16.

**Net receipts** for five days 5,623 bales against 2,234 bales last year; exports 23,688 bales; last year 10,963 bales; stock 36,077 bales; last year 180,527 bales.

Below give the opening and closing quotatons of cotton futures to day:

**OPENED.....** 13 10 23  
**Aug. 1.....** 13 10 23  
**Sept. 1.....** 13 10 23  
**Oct. 1.....** 13 10 24  
**Nov. 1.....** 9 9 10 23  
**Dec. 1.....** 9 9 10 24  
**Jan. 1.....** 9 9 10 24  
**Feb. 1.....** 10 10 24  
**March 1.....** 10 28 10 22  
**April 1.....** 10 28 10 22  
**May 1.....** 10 30 10 21  
**June 1.....** 10 30 10 21  
**Closed firm.....** 10 30 10 21  
**July 1.....** 10 30 10 21  
**Liverpool—Future** closed quiet. Spots 5 1/2; Orions 5 1/2; Orions 5/4; sales 12,000 bales, of which 9,350 were American; receipts 2,300; Americans 2,210.

Local cotton market is quiet and steady at quotations: Good middling 9 1/2; middling 9 1/2; strict low middling 9 1/2; low middling 9 1/2; strict good ordinary 9 1/2; good ordinary 8 1/2; ordinary 7 1/2; tinges 9 1/2; stain 5 1/2-7 1/2.

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## THROUGH THE CITY.

## A GLIMPSE OF CURRENT EVENTS IN ATLANTA.

The Day's Doings in Public Offices—The Record of the Courts, the Railroads and the Hotels—Real Estate Operations—Gossip of All Kinds—Items of General Interest, Etc.

Captain Couch is back from Edwardsville, Ala.

Bill Toland will be brought back to Atlanta to day.

John Alexander was given a cell in the calaboose yesterday on the charge of burglary.

The rain yesterday evening induced many of the weather prophets, in Atlanta, to predict a wet month for August.

The police were remarkably quiet yesterday. Only one state case was made and the city docket had but few entries.

There will probably be some trouble at Ponte de Leon. The folks at the springs won't let the pavilion folks have water.

Nettie Pierce was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging her with burglary. It is alleged that she aided in burglarizing Mrs. Howard's residence, on Calhoun street.

Sheriff Phillips left for Jones county yesterday. He was accompanied by Dick Fambro, the wife murderer, and Fambro's children, who are witnesses against their father.

There is a fifty pound box of "Lucie Whiting" chewing tobacco at the station house awaiting a claimant. It was found by Captain Bagby in the possession of an accused burglar.

The residence of Mrs. Mollie Foster, on Luckie street, was entered night before last by burglars, and a purse containing about twenty dollars was stolen from a bureau drawer.

Night before last the residence of Mr. G. W. Fowler, of Green's Ferry avenue, was burglarized. The thief entered through a rear window and carried away a coat, a cashmere dress and a pistol.

Belle Jones, a mulatto, was yesterday arrested upon a warrant charging her with larceny. The complainant is a Mrs. Smith on McDonough street, who alleges that the defendant stole from her.

Yesterday Captain Dickey secured the conviction of Beal and his associates. Against this quartette the charge of burglary was preferred, and the evidence which committed them indicates that they compose the band to whom the recent numerous burglaries have been traced.

Yesterday Mr. William Lowe was standing in front of his Whitehall street building when a man from the rural districts approached and asked: "Is this High?" "No" he replied, "this is Mr. Lowe. Mr. High is just across the street and you will find Mr. Jack a few doors below." The ruralist said that he would play for the game.

The remains of Mr. M. Menko were interred in Oakland cemetery yesterday. The funeral service was conducted by the members of the Masonic fraternity who participated in the埋葬 of Menko during his life. The Masonic fraternity conducted the exercises.

The procession moved to the cemetery at 4 o'clock, and nearly every clother in Atlanta was in it. Every clothing house in the city indicated their respect for the deceased by closing their stores during that time.

## THE SUPREME COURT.

## A Talk With Coone Boge on His Bill to Increase the Number of Judges.

A CONSTITUTION reporter, meeting Colonel Hoge yesterday, asked him about the bill he introduced in the house to create two more judges on the bench of the state. Said:

"I introduced it because it is necessary that we have more, among which the labor may be divided."

"There is not enough authority in the decisions of the supreme court, as it now is except the mere decision, from the fact that the three judges which we now have are compelled by the enormous amount of work given them to alternate in the decisions given in all cases before them. That is, an important case comes up before one committee and follows immediately by others; one justice takes one case and the other two each take a following case. They are buried from the rush of work, and hasty decisions gained from mere facts, without opportunities for studying or investigating, are given. They do not bear that authority or weight of the supreme court decisions of other states. Our justices are worked from morning till night, day in and day out, and are engaged in the most tedious and continued mental labor, greatly to the injury of their health. I am informed that when Judge Blackley was on the bench he undertook to study and attain every iota of light on every decision, and the consequence was he became a hundred cases behind, finding it impossible to make up. I believe that our supreme bench is now and has been composed of men who are peers of any in the country, but are equally confident that which has been referred of by the addition of two more to their number the work will be divided and their decisions will be given after having more time for study and reflection, as well as not having a body wrecked in service to the state."

## A HANDSOME BUILDING.

## The Work of Tearing Away One Building Begun and Another Structure to be Erected.

One of Atlanta's oldest landmarks, the building at the corner of Broad and Marietta streets, occupied by Messrs. W. O. Tyner & Co., is now being torn down to give way to another building which, when completed, will be one of the handsomest in the city. The new building will belong to Major J. A. Fifteen, and the plans have already been completed by Mr. W. C. Morris.

A CONSTITUTION reporter was yesterday shown a design of the building, as it will be in the heart of the city, it will present a magnificent appearance, and make probably the handsomest show of any building in the city. It is to be built of the finest brick, with stone trimmings, and will be five stories in height. On the ground floor will be three very large store rooms, their sizes being about 50x12 feet, two opening on Marietta street and one on Broad street, one on Marietta, making an angle with the one on Broad, will be connected with the latter by a large arch and will be occupied by one firm, giving two very prominent entrances, on two of our most important thoroughfares. The upper stories have been especially arranged for private rooms and offices. Large windows open from each, and there being so many of them the building will present an almost solid glass front on the street. The second and third stories will add greatly to the looks of the building by the fixture of very handsome bay window in front, projecting partly over the sidewalk and resting on carved supports projecting from the upper portion of the first floor.

The building will cost \$25,000, and will be pushed right ahead as soon as the debris of the old one is removed.

## COLONEL NEWMAN.

## His Fellow-Workers in the State Department of Agriculture Pass Resolutions Concerning Him.

Atlanta, August 2, 1883.—At a meeting of the officers and agents of the agricultural department of Georgia held at the state department rooms for the purpose of expressing their appreciation of their former comrade and co-laborer, Colonel J. S. Newman, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted with marked enthusiasm. Those present were John T. Henderon, commissioner; Robert J. Redding, Thomas C. Howard, W. B. Henderson, O. T. Rogers, E. L. Thomas, William H. Howell, P. H. Harden, J. L. Lawton and Samuel Hawkins.

Whereas, by the promotion of Colonel J. S. Newman to the professorship of agriculture in the State Agricultural and Mechanical

college of Alabama, we are called upon to relinquish his valuable services and a companionship which has been distinguished by the traits and charms which attend the cultured gentleman, and recalling the long years of pleasurable intercourse we have enjoyed in our official relations with him, we cannot consent to see him retire from our circle without giving expression to our hearty appreciation of the man, the friend and the able and faithful officer. We regard his labors during the last eight years in the state department of agriculture as most valuable contributions to the great cause to which he has devoted his life, and while they have given honorable distinction to the contributions which Georgia has made to agricultural reform and progress, they at the same time rank her author as entitled to high rank among the teachers and reformers of the day.

We, his friends and admirers in our fervent appreciation of his worth, would commend him to the confidence and regard of those among whom his future labors will be deserved; and

Resolved, That it is with sincerest regret we part with our friend, Colonel J. S. Newman, and feel that the state of Alabama in its present growth and expansion will often need an ardent lover of science and a most cultured and genial member of society.

Resolved, That our kit dest regards will ever attend him and we bespeak for him in his new field of labor that warmth of appreciation which we cherish for him.

Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be furnished Colonel Newman, and that they be published in THE CONSTITUTION.

## THE POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

## The Charge Against Officer Scarborough Investigated—He Is Discharged from the Force.

The board of police commissioners convened in called session last night. There were present Commissioner Fox, chairman; Commissioners Hancock, Goldsmith, Cranford and Frizzell. Chairman Fox stated that the purpose of the meeting was to investigate charges preferred against Officer Scarborough. The officer was present and the charges against him were read. He was charged with visiting bar rooms while on duty, and with drinking while on duty. The accused pleaded not guilty, and the trial was begun by introducing Officer Nat West, whose testimony sustained the charge. Officer Dick Clarke, Stationhouse Keeper Foute, Chief Connolly, Mr. Pat Shieh, and others testified.

For the defense Mr. A. G. Moss, Mr. Clarence Moore, Mr. Stephens and Mr. Stewart testified Officer Scarborough admitted that he had entered bar rooms on the day specified in the charges, but none of the witnesses testified to seeing him take a drink.

Mr. Clarence Moore deposed that he had been in close conversation with Mr. Scarborough just before the Larkin street difficulty occurred and that he did not smell liquor on his breath. The witness swore positively that the officer was not drunk. Mr. Moss and others swore to the same facts.

Mr. Scarborough made his statement, and then the board went into secret session. In secret session a resolution regaining the discharge of Mr. Scarborough from the force was introduced and adopted.

The board elected Supernumerary W. A. Myers to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Scarborough's removal. J. A. Martin was elected to the supernumerary list, and a committee to detail, detailing Officer Moon to do the same service was sustained by the board.

The board adjourned. After the adjournment of the board Chairman Fox said: "I never did a duty before that was half so painful. Scarborough was one of the best policemen I ever saw. He was brave, fearless and kind but never aggressive. He was not only a good policeman but a good, straightforward man."

The board took no cognizance at all of the Larkin street shooting affair, out of which grew the trouble.

## A SERIES OF CONCERTS.

## What the Mozart Society of Memphis Proposes to Do for the Music Lovers of the South.

Mr. R. Wayne Wilson, who for years ago was a citizen of Atlanta, is in the city. He is making a tour of the south in the interest of a series of splendid concerts which it is proposed to give under the direction of the Mozart society of Memphis. Mr. Wilson is business manager of the Mozart society, and is organizing with the local musical union a cooperation by which a series of six concerts, drawn by the best musical talent of this country, will be given. It is proposed to present these concerts to the various communities of the south at popular prices such as obtain in the east. Yesterday at a meeting of the directors of the musical union Mr. Wilson presented his credentials from the Mozart society and invited them to join the general southern union or amateur circuit. His proposal was favorably received and to day the board of the musical union will meet again to determine the time to prominent citizens of Atlanta to meet and take steps to execute the plan in the best manner. In addition to the six entertainments it is proposed to bring Theodore Thomas' unrivaled orchestra on the tour of the south Atlantic states during the two weeks beginning the 26th of November.

The advantages derived from this co-operative union are numerous. Owing to the isolated positions and the long distance between the cities which have heretofore prevented cities

seldom enjoy really first class musical entertainments, and when they do the high tariff of prices prevents a great many from attending; but in the union thirty cities can obtain the finest concerts at very low figures, by guaranteeing to the company to take thirty or forty concerts. It is expected also that the railroads, the press, the hotels, etc., will favor the amateurs in the matter of prices, which will greatly reduce expenses. A large patronage is also expected from the towns adjacent to the cities where it is proposed to give these concerts.

Thus far Mr. Wilson reports that Louisville, Helena, Little Rock, Memphis, Jackson, Tennessee, Chattanooga, Tennessee, Knoxville and Rome have entered the union and the Atlanta musical union will do also, if the proper encouragement is received from the citizens. Mr. Wilson will be here until Saturday and will then go to Charleston to arrange for their society, and will go from there to Richmond and returning will take in the other cities of the south.

At the conclusion of the session of the Southern Dental association, the Georgia State Dental association met. Dr. Winkler in the chair.

Charges were preferred against Dr. T. J. Key, of Montezuma, for violating the code of ethics of the dental profession.

The matter was referred to a committee composed of Dr. R. W. Thornton, Dr. G. W. H. Whitaker and Dr. O. G. Bouton. The association adjourned to meet in Atlanta on the second Tuesday in May next.

## THE JULY WEATHER.

## The Temperature and Other Characteristics for the Month Past Ended.

Captain Bolding of the state department of agriculture has prepared a very interesting comparative table of the maximum, minimum and mean temperature, rainfall and number of rainy days of the month of July from 1876 to 1883, inclusive:

## THE DENTISTS.

## YESTERDAY'S SESSION OF THE DENTAL ASSOCIATION.

The Speeches of The Day—The Election of Officers for Next Year—To Meet at Lexington, Kentucky, Next May—Resolutions on the Death of Members—The Excursion To-day.

The Southern Dental association met yesterday morning at the usual hour, the president, Dr. L. D. Carpenter, of Atlanta, presiding.

The morning session was devoted to the clinic and to an interesting and able address by Dr. A. O. Rawls, of Lexington, Ky. The address was on "The Pathological Condition of the Oral Cavity." Dr. R. called particular attention to diseased gums. A short discussion followed, which was participated in by Drs. Catching, Hunt, Winder, Walker and Ford, after which the morning session adjourned.

The association was called to order at three o'clock by the president, and Dr. Rawls again addressed the meeting. He made several suggestions looking to the improvement of the association and to increasing its power for usefulness. Dr. Rawls' remarks were listened to with close attention and made a deep impression on the association.

The president announced that the election of officers was the next business in order. Nominations and balloting followed, and the election results are as follows:

President—Dr. H. K. McKellops, of St. Louis, Mo.

Vice-president—Dr. A. J. Bouton, of Savannah.

Second vice-president—Dr. M. A. Bland, of Charlotte.

Third vice-president—Dr. A. W. Rawls, of Lexington, Ky.

Corresponding secretary—Dr. J. R. Holmes, of Marion.

Recording secretary—Dr. W. H. Hoffman, of Charlotte.

Treasurer—Dr. H. A. Lowrance, of Athens, Ga.

Executive committee—Dr. A. O. Rawls, of Lexington, Ky.; Dr. R. B. Winder, of Baltimore; Dr. J. R. Walker, of New Orleans; Dr. E. S. Chisholm, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and Dr. W. R. Clifton, of Waco, Texas.

The association then went into the selection of the next place of meeting, Charleston, S. C., Atlanta, Ga., and Lookout Mountain were suggested. The decision was made by ballot, and resulted in the selection of Lexington, Ky.

The association decided to hold its next meeting commencing on the first Tuesday in May next. Dr. Rawls, of Lexington, had given the members of the association a pressing invitation to hold their next meeting at Lexington, and had given them a glowing description of what he would show them if they would visit the famous grass region of Kentucky in May. Dr. Rawls was selected as a committee of arrangements.

Dr. Sid Holland made a short address in reference to the excursion to Tallulah falls to day. He said that an entertainment had been prepared for the association—and what he considered would be a trip of interest. He said:

"If you will visit with me to-morrow the grand and beautiful place called Tallulah falls, you will see something that will make you think of the grandeur of Niagara. We have not much water but we have more grandeur. The train will leave at six o'clock and will arrive at the falls at ten. There we will have music, and a grand view of the beautiful scenery. At three we will have dinner—a genuine ante-bellum Georgia barbecue—and returning will leave the falls at 6 p.m. We will be back at midnight, so that any of you can leave by the midnight train."

The doctor then described where badges could be secured and how the train could be reached.

Dr. McKellops called the attention of the association to the fact that it was overlooking a reference to the death of Dr. Marshall H. Webb, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania. He spoke feelingly of Dr. Webb, and called on Dr. Morgan, of Tennessee, to say something on the same line. Dr. Morgan arose and stated that he had not expected to speak. He then said:

"That Husband of Mine"

is three times the man he was before using "Wells' Health Renewer."

Dr. Webb, however, paid a beautiful tribute to his memory, saying that he had given those who had known him or had read after him, a higher ideal of the profession.

The remarks of Dr. Morgan were impressive and he was selected to draft suitable resolutions on the death of Dr. Webb to be inscribed on the minutes and published in the Southern Dental Journal.

The committee appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Dr. H. J. Royal of Savannah reported a set of resolutions which were adopted.

Dr. Holland was appointed a committee of one to escort Dr. McKellops, the newly elected president, to the chair, which he did. On assuming the chair Dr. McKellops made a few appropriate remarks after which, there being no further business after which, the association adjourned to convene in Lexington, Ky., on the first Tuesday in May next.

## THE JULY WEATHER.

## New Hampshire manufacturers turn out an annual product of \$7,000,000.

Ugly blotsches and stubborn old sores are cured by SAMARITAN NERVEINE. \$1.50.

John Brown's shackles are the latest relic to be found in all museums.

Physicians have long recognized the virtue in "Trailing Arbutus" or "May Flower," and for all diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys recommend "Smith's Extract of May Flower."

W. G. Browne, Dentist, 65 Whitehall St.

JUST ARRIVED.

Fine lot Bananas. W. J. Hudson & Co.

Read advertisement of A. C. McIntosh. He has a fine Cobb county farm for sale.

Fresh gulf and lake fish. Emery's market.

BACTERIA. Bacterias.

Line of staple groceries, glassware and lamp goods to be closed out at auction this morning at 8 Whitehall. G. H. Brown's bankrupt stock. Sale commences at 10 o'clock.

Paralytic strokes, heart disease and kidney affections, prevented by the use of Brown's Iron Bitter.

Now is the time when our boy goes west and blows up with the country.

Ten drops of Angostura Bitters impart a delicious flavor to all cold drinks and prevent all Summer Diseases. Take it and you will never be without it, but be sure to get the world-renowned Angostura, manufactured exclusively by L. B. Siegert & Sons.

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